Spec. Code: 2095
Occ. Area: 16
Work Area: 504
Prob. Period: 6 mo.
Prom. Line: none
Effective Date: 04/01/63

LABORATORY HELPER

Function of Job

Under direct supervision from a designated supervisor, to clean laboratory glassware and to perform other laboratory maintenance duties.

Characteristic Duties and Responsibilities

- 1. washes laboratory equipment (such as petri dishes, test tubes, beakers, and flasks)
- 2. sorts and stores laboratory equipment
- 3. washes laboratory apparatus, instruments, and utensils with soap powder or other cleansing compounds
- 4. places equipment in autoclave and regulates steam pressure
- 5. cleans animal cages
- 6. keeps clean linens in adequate supply
- 7. sweeps, mops, and scrubs laboratory floors as required
- 8. performs other related duties as assigned

MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE QUALIFICATIONS

CREDENTIALS TO BE VERIFIED BY PLACEMENT OFFICER

none

PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES NEEDED TO UNDERTAKE JOB

- 1. ability and willingness to follow simple instructions
- 2. ability to do manual work

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